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POLLY LARKIN

A man living not a hundred miles from San Francisco was complaining of the extravagance of his family the other day and begging them to cut down expenses in every possible manner. "You give the children five cents every week for spending money and they immediately put it in candy," he said to his wife. Now this is all nonsense. Of course five cents does not amount to much in itself, but where there are six children in the household it makes thirty cents per week and one dollar and twenty cents per month and fourteen dollars and forty cents per year. Think of the shoes it would buy if these five cent pieces per week were put in a bank, instead of being foolishly wasted; another thing about it is that it teaches them to be extravagant from their very cradles. My salary is not the very biggest in the world and the sooner they are taught to economize and take care of their pennies the better it will be for them and for us all. Every Sunday they must have five cents to put in the Sunday School contribution box, of course I cannot cut that out for it is a worthy cause and would give people a false impression and a cause to talk if we failed to have them put in their mite every Sunday, but nevertheless there is another fourteen dollars and forty cents per year out of my none too much salary. No wonder I am growing gray-headed and in the prime of life too. A poor man with a big family is not to be envied and whenever I hear of Roosevelt denouncing what he calls race suicide in strong measures, I wish that he could experience the luxury of having a big family to feed, clothe, educate and pay doctor bills on a small salary. Talk is cheap. I would wager he wouldn't become eloquent on the subject of large families if his fortune should change and he could know of the struggle for existance that proverty brings. Children no doubt are jewels but they are a mighty expensive luxury for a poor man." The eldest daughter sat quietly figuring at the table and when he finished his tirade on the extravagance of the children she looked up from the row of figures she had been adding, her cheeks were scarlet and her eyes flaming with indignation. Father you have given us a speech on our extravagance for breakfast, lunch and dinner ever since I could remember. It is not fair to mother or to us children either for that matter. Mother never has any enjoyment in the world. She never goes any place but stays at home and keeps house, cooks, washes and irons to save expenses for she has had economy dingdonged into her ears ever since I could remember. She never has a little treat like other women we know of. I don't believe I ever heard you ask mother to go to any place of amusement. Mr. Smith takes his wife regularly once a week to some theatre or a lecture and has a little treat afterwards, he does more than this he takes all the children some place with him one night every week, and father, he doesn t get as much salary as you do. They have spending money too, and their church allowance as well. Don't stop me, father, until I get through, I have been trying to get my courage up to this point for some time, for I don't think you half appreciate mother and all she does to make our home life happy and make it comfortable for you as well. She never complains, and yet she never receives a word of encouragement. Mr. Smith comes in and kisses all the children and his wife and he always tells his wife she is the dearest little woman in the world, and he says he wouldn't change places with the wealthiest man in the world. He acts just as though Mrs. Smith was his sweetheart in place of his wife, and she seems so happy and contented The children all run to see which can get the first kiss, and they are just the nicest people in their home I ever saw.

It makes me envious and unhappy whenever I am there and Mr. Smith comes home, it is so differen rom our home life. Mother works so hard, and yet she never can please you, father; the children are too noisy and troublesome. We are too extravagant, and yet, not one of us ever thinks of asking for more than that little five-cent piece or nickel that you think we shouldn't have. All of my class belong to a club —I am the only one left out. I could not tell them why, but I did not have the initiation fee of fifty cents or the twenty-five cents per month dues. I told them I did not have the time to give it, which was false. I couldn't ask you for the money. But I don't care for myself one bit—it is mother I am thinking about and the hard time she has had with you all these years."

"Well, are you through your lecture?" asked her father, angrily. You hold up Mr. Smith as your model of a good husband and father, and say that he gets less salary than I do and yet does such wonders in his home to make it attractive and happy, and is so lavish with his money. How do you explain that?" asked her father, sarcastically. "Well, father, you complain because mother gives the children five cents a week spending money and say it is extravagance. Y u smoke at least one twenty-five cent cigar every day, and I don't know how many more, but say one a day, that is one dollar and seventy-five cents per week, seven dollars and fifty cents per month and eighty-four dollars per year. You say you have to take something to brace you up after your hard day's work, that means another twenty-five cents per day, without the treating of friends, and that stands for another eighty-four dollars per year. Mr, Smith shaves himself and he polishes his own shoes; you pay for having it done. You and Mr. Smith are in the same block; you ride back and forth, Mr. Smith walks, because the exercise is good for him, and when Sunday or a holiday comes, he takes the whole family out for a car-ride or a basket picnic on what he has saved." "I don't wish to hear anything more from you on the subject. It is too bad the model Mr. Smith is not your father," and the banging of the hall door put an end to the conversation, but it is safe to say he will not preach economy soon again in his own household.

BRIEF REVIEW.

Death Lurks in Chinese Ques.

German papers forwarded by Consul-general Guenther of Frankfort state that the importation of Chinese pigtails, which are imported into Europe in packages of 1000 pounds each was recently the subject of court proceedings in England. A laborer who was employed in preparing camel's hair, cheap foreign wool and human hair, had been taken sick with fatal inflammation of the spleen (milzbrand.) In order to fix the cause it was ascertained that the pigtails, after being cut off the heads of the Chinese, were at once braded and packed. The possibility exists that the hair comes from the head of a Chinese who suffered from the plague, or some other contagious disease. Two previous cases of "milzbrand" have occured among the workingmen of the English establishment. It is therefore indicated that these pigtails should be closely examined under the microscope, and the result may be to prohibit their importation.

Settling an Insolvency in India.

They had a peculiar way of going into bankruptcy among the Marawaris, in India, now unhappily giving away to the less picturesque method of the white man. When a man could not pay his bills he would summon his creditors. They were ushered into a room in which the thakur, or household god, was inshrined, but covered up with a cloth and with the face turned to the wall in order that it might not witness the scene that was to follow. The insolvent would then, in the garb of mourning, lie on the floor, presenting his back to his creditors, who, on a given signal, would fall on him with shoes and slippers and belabor him until their wrath was exhausted. The beating finished, honor was declared to be satisfied all around. —New York Tribune.

Indian Pearls in Mounds.

In the United States, bushels of pearls have been found in the Indian mounds of the Mississippi valley, but they were damaged and partially decomposed by long centuries of burial, even in cases where they had not been ruined by sacrificial fires. The Indians evidently used the unios for food, and were thus led to the discovery of the gems. So far, however, as the white settlers were concerned, the mollusks were practically unmolested until 1857, when a pearl of fine luster was accidentally found in Notch broon, in Paterson, New Jersey. It weighed ninety-three grains, and became known as the "Queen Pearl" from the fact that Tiffany & Co. sold it to Eugenie. The French Empress paid only $2500 for it, but it is now valued at $10,000.

Hay and Lincoln.

As with Lincoln, so with Hay, the rough edges of untoward events and impertinent individualisms were always smoothed by a sense of humor and a parrying and ameliorating wit. The gifts were different but analogous. Likewise, while it may be said that Nicolay had something of Lincoln's gravity of mind and explicitness of statement, Hay had something of Lincoln's sentiment, brevity and balance of style, and imaginative grasp; while both shared the mighty President's love of country and devotion to its service.—From an editorial in the Century Magazine.

The annual consumption of iron ore, according to an estimate of the Swedish Geological Survey, is now about 100,000,000 tons. The London Iron and Coal Trades Review, commenting on this fact, expresses the opinion that the world is "within little more than half a century of an absolute iron famine." It adds: "This fact raises problems of serious consequence to the world's iron industry and to the outlook of civilization itself."

French Army Discipline.

In the French army an officer whose duty it is to report on a junior is obliged to show him the original report and obtain his signature to it, as a proof that he has made himself master of the contents. The general officer is not permitted to express any opinion on the matter until he obtains from the one accused a written defense.

Rival Cigar Rollers.

The clever cigar rollers of Seville have rivals in the insect world. By the aid of its tiny feet the weevil rolls vine leaves into a cylindrical shape and hides itself inside.

Money From Lectures.

Bishop McCabe has delivered his great lecture on "The Bright Side of Life in Libby Prison" 1500 times and $200,000 has been brought into the church treasury by the same.

The new turbine steamers of the Cunard line use 840 tons of coal daily when under full headway.

WOMAN AND FASHION

A Smart Coat.

Unquestionably the Eton jacket is to be a pronounced favorite of the incoming season, and exceedingly chic and dainty are many of its later forms. This one is so simple as to appeal to the home dressmaker at a glance, while it is eminently smart. In the illustration the material is one of the new gray suitings, while the collar and cuffs are of velvet finished with applique. The list of suitable materials, however, includes the entire list of seasonable suitings, for the jacket is appropriate for linen and for silk quite as well as for wool. In this instance the sleeves are in the favorite and always attractive three-quarter length, but long ones can be substituted if a more practical garment is desired. Vel vet collar and cuffs are much liked this season, but are by no means the only ones in style, for linen on wool and linen on silk make distinctive characteristics of prevailing fashions and are to be found in a great many attractive colors. Bulgarian embroideries are exceedingly smart, and plain broadcloth on mixed material always makes a handsome effect.

ETON JACKET.

Favorite Silks.

Peau de cygne, with a sheen like satin.
Chiffon taffeta, soft and brilliant.
Armure messaline, soft and finely corded.
Moire or watered silk.
Soft foulards, principally for shirt waist suits.
Crepe de chine, for evening wear.
Pompadour silks, with floral patterns.
Ombre, or shaded silks.
Black is always good form.
White serviceable because they can be washed.
Kimono silks in gorgeous Japanese designs.
Plaided silks.
Dresden and Persian effects.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

For Spring Gowns.

Very richly toned materials are being used for the new spring gowns and naturally demand much artistic feeling in regard to harmonizing. Long, well cut coats are de rigueur and serve to display a good figure to the very best advantage, while the graceful lines are further carried out in the fashionable skirt, which fits closely round the hips and is full and flowing from the knees.

Sleeves are still an important feature and have full upper parts for dressy coats and costumes, while they are plainer in cut for the tailor mades.

For Morning Wear.

A variation of the kimono is shown here, having tucks to provide extra fullness over the bust and to give tapering lines in back. The sleeves are full and flowing, but might be banded at the wrist or elbow if desired. Fac

SIMPLE HOUSE GOWN.

ings of plain or a contrasting material finish the edges of front, neck and sleeves, and the same may girdle the garment at the waist. A soft ribbon girdle is shown and is very pleasing. The gown is simple to make and may be of lawn, a Japanese cloth, chintz, silk or challis.

Madrid's Throne Room.

The throne room of the royal palace at Madrid is one of the most magnificent in the world. Decorated in red and gold, it contains rock crystal chandeliers, colossal looking glasses of the finest quality, marble tables and priceless porphyry. The ceiling is painted by Tiepolo with the "Majesty of Spain," in illustration of the virtue of the kings and the manliness of the people, who are represented in the different costumes of the provinces. Here the sovereigns of Spain receive on grand occasions when alive and when dead are laid out in state.

Men Who Are In the News

William A. Brady, theatrical manager and producer of "The Redskin," who criticises the critics and complains that in writing of plays they aim to be smart rather than fair, has had a varied career. He has risen from small beginnings to the leading position which he now occupies in the theatrical world.

Mr. Brady's first start in life was the result of a bluff. He was keeping a news stand in San Francisco, at a salary of $7 a week, when Bartley Campbell reached the city with the intention of putting on a repertory of plays. He had with him a company of "stars," chief of whom was Georgia Cayvan. He expected to re-enforce the company from the colony of actors for whose existence San Francisco has always been noted. Young Brady had heard of this intention and when he saw Campbell on the street made a bold but ingenuous application for a position as a member of the company.

W. A. BRADY.

To Mr. Campbell's question whether he could play a leading part he replied "Sure!" and was thereupon engaged at $50 a week. But when it came to the rehearsal of the play there were a good many unemployed actors standing around on the watch for an engagement, and one of them called Mr. Campbell aside and said: "That fellow isn't an actor. He sells papers. He's a newsboy."

Brady pleaded for a chance to show what he could do, but it was of no use. His part was taken away from him. However, Mr. Campbell liked his nerve and made him a call boy at $10 a week. That wasn't so good as $50, but it was better than $7, and it was in a theater, so he jumped at the offer. Inside of a few weeks he had become leading man of the company.

Mr. Brady was once the manager of James J. Corbett and arranged for the battle in which he defeated John L. Sullivan.

Francis Le Baron Robbins is placed in a position of much responsibility as the spokesman for the soft coal operators in view of the negotiations between the capitalists and the workingmen now in progress. Mr. Robbins is president of the Pittsburg Coal company. It was to him that President Roosevelt addressed a letter recently urging exertion of every possible effort to prevent a strike among the coal miners. Mr. Robbins was born in Ripon, Wis., in 1855. He is president of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal company, a director in several banks and trust companies and is reputed the largest individual coal miner in the United States. Mr. Robbins was married in 1882 to Miss Helen Gill.

FRANCIS L. ROBBINS.

Since the Bennington disaster stories of Captain Lucien Young are numerous. His lifelong friend, Colonel Sam Donelson of Washington, tells one in which John Chamberlin is concerned. One day the subject of equestrian statues coming up, they mutually agreed that the bronze representation of General Thomas on horseback was the finest work of art of its kind in Washington.

Shortly afterward the same discussion was taken up by Young and Senator Beck of Kentucky. The senator held that the statue of General McPherson was a work superior to the Thomas bronze. Young agreed to bet a champagne supper for three, with John Chamberlin as referee. Chamberlin sided with the senator, to Young's astonishment. He demanded an explanation, and Chamberlin said, "Well, Lucien, you and I are both men of the world, and I appeal to you as such if I could give a decision in favor of a lieutenant in the navy against a United States senator."

Edward B. Vreeland, representative in congress from the Thirty-seventh district of New York, who has been talked of as successor to ex-Governor B. B. Odell, Jr., in the post of chairman of the New York state Republican committee, is serving his fourth term in the house. He is a resident of Salamanca, Cattaraugus county, and was born in 1857 in Cuba, N. Y. He received an academic education and served as superintendent of schools of Salamanca from 1877 to 1882. He began the practice of law in 1881, was chosen president of the Salamanca Trust company in 1891 and has been engaged in banking, insurance and the oil business. He has served as a member of the house committee on Indian affairs and is chairman of the committee which investigated the hazing episodes at Annapolis and which made a report upon the subject a few days ago.

EDWARD B. VREELAND.

Mozart and Bretzner.

When Mozart was at the height of his fame he composed the music for Bretzner's "Belmont und Konstanze" ("The Abduction From the Seraglio") at the request of the Emperor Joseph II. The author of the drama was so angry at this that he inserted the following notice in the Leipziger Zeitung: "A certain fellow of the name of Mozart has dared to misuse my drama, 'Belmont und Konstanze,' for an opera text. I hereby solemnly protest against this invasion of my rights, and I reserve to myself further procedures. (Signed), Christoph Friedrich Bretzner, author of 'Rauschchen.'"

COURAGEOUS MRS. LOGAN.

Widow of One Hero and Mother of Another, She Is a Real Patriot.

Mrs. John A. Logan has the courageous spirit which made her husband, the late General Logan, one of the most idolized heroes of the civil war. For many years Mrs. Logan has been conspicuous in patriotic work. In pursuance of her labors in the field of patriotic education she was scheduled to deliver a lecture at the State Normal school in West Chester, Pa., a short time ago. Just before the time for the address she slipped while descending a stairway in the home of her host and broke her left arm. The pain from the fractured member was severe, but remembering the example of bravery set her by her husband she disregarded physical discomfort and went upon the platform just as if nothing had happened to disturb her composure. She was heartily cheered for her courage when the facts became known.

Mrs. Logan was Miss Mary S. Cunningham, and she was born in 1838 in Peterboro, Mo. She is the daughter of a soldier and the granddaughter of a soldier. In the civil war her husband battled for the Union cause, and some of her brothers and uncles fought in the blue, others in the gray. When

MRS. JOHN A. LOGAN.

General Logan was wounded at Fort Donelson she went there and nursed him through his long illness. Her son, Major John A. Logan, Jr., was killed in the Philippines while stooping to assist a fallen comrade in a victorious charge during the campaign against Aguinaldo. Mrs. Logan has shown her devotion to her country in so many ways that her choice as president of the American Red Cross society, in succession to Clara Barton, seemed especially fitting. The widow of General Logan is widely known and loved.

Mrs. Logan, now white haired and stately in appearance, is a woman of many accomplishments and great tact. A story told of the Blaine and Logan campaign of 1884 illustrates how the [illegible] At Cincinnati Blaine had been accorded a great ovation, but through some oversight when Logan arrived a little later not a soul extended to him the freedom of the city. The general resented it and in a conversation with a reporter intimated strongly that Mr. Blaine had had something to do with the incident. When the newspaper man took his departure Mrs. Logan followed him into the hall. She said:

"The general was indiscreet in saying a great many things that would not look well in print. Promise me you will make no use of them tomorrow." The reporter protested. He had been sent for the interview and could not afford to disobey his instructions, but Mrs. Logan placed her hand on his arm in a motherly fashion and again entreated him. "I am very anxious," said she, "that the Republican ticket should be elected this fall. What the general has said would create a serious division within the Republican ranks. I know the nature of the sacrifice I am asking. We have a great many friends among the newspaper men at Washington, and if the time ever comes when General Logan can do as much for you I assure you it shall be done." The reporter gave the promise. Not a line of the conversation appeared the next day.

Meals In Schools.

In Paris the city government gives every school child one full meal a day. This does not tend to pauperize the children or to lessen the responsibility of the parents, for all those who can afford to pay for the meal are expected to do so. On the other hand, no jealousy or contempt can be felt by the richer children for their starved comrades, for all are supplied with the same metal token, which has to be given up in exchange for the meal. The "cantine scolaire," as this municipal soup kitchen is called, is not confined to Paris. In the provinces the "soupe scolaire," its equivalent, has sent up the school attendance by leaps and bounds. Here, however, instead of paying for their midday meal all those who can possibly do so are encouraged to bring to school their handful of vegetables and the like, and the contributions are all put into the common soup.

How to Rest.

To understand how to rest is of more importance than to know how to work. The latter can be learned easily. The former it takes years to learn, and some people never learn the art of resting. It is simply a change of scenes and activities. Loafing may not be resting; sleeping is not always resting; sitting down for days, with nothing to do, is not restful. A change is needed to bring into play a different set of faculties and to turn the life into a new channel. The man who works hard finds his best rest in playing hard; the man who is burdened with care finds relief in something that is active, yet free from responsibility. Above all, keep good natured and don't abuse your best friend, the stomach.

And He Got Her.

Mr. Millyuns—Is it my daughter you want or is it her money? Jack Gingleton (amateur champion for 100 yards)—Sir! You surprise me. You know very well that I'm an amateur athlete. Mr. Millyuns—What's that got to do with it? Jack Gingleton—A great deal, sir. It debars me from taking part in any event for money.—London Telegraph.

CRIMINAL BEES.

Honey Gatherers That Have Very Loose Moral Ideas.

Almost every form and variety of human crime is to be found among animals. Cases of theft are noticed among bees. Buchner in his "Psychic Life of Animals" speaks of thievish bees which, in order to save themselves the trouble of working, attack well stocked hives in masses, kill the sentinels and the inhabitants, rob the hives and carry off the provisions. After repeated enterprises of this description they acquire a taste for robbery and violence. They recruit whole companies, which get more and more numerous, and finally they form regular colonies of brigand bees.

But it is a still more curious fact that these brigand bees can be produced artificially by giving working bees a mixture of honey and brandy to drink. The bees soon acquire a taste for this beverage, which has the same disastrous effects upon them as upon men. They become ill disposed and irritable and lose all desire to work, and finally, when they begin to feel hungry, they attack and plunder the well supplied hives.

There is one variety of bees—the sphecodes—which live exclusively upon plunder.

In the Frozen North.

"I suppose the native chiefs set elaborate tables."

"Yes," said the eminent arctic explorer guardedly; "they usually put on a good deal of dog."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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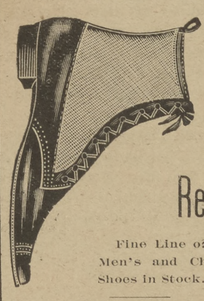
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CATHOLIC CHURCH—Commencing Sunday, November 20th and until further notice, mass will be said in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma, on the first and third Sundays of the month at 10:30 a. m., and on the second and fourth Sundays mass will be said in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma, at 9 a. m., and in St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen, at 11 a. m. On the fifth Sunday of every month in which five Sundays occur, mass will be said in St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen, at 9 a. m., and in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma, at 11 a. m.

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Friday, April 13, 1906.

The Trustees of the City of Sonoma should, by all means, grant the petition of the High School Board, when they ask that a fire hydrant be placed on Broadway, near enough to the school property to afford some protection. It would be far more serious than the mere property loss if our high school should be destroyed. Delay might mean serious consequences and the work should be done without delay.

While the high school building would secure protection, there are several fine homes in the vicinity that would be equally benefitted.

NEWS NOTES

Dr. Galen Burdell, a pioneer of '49, died at his home in Marin Co., Sunday morning after a few weeks illness. Deceased was 79 years of age. He leaves a large estate.

Couch covers, table covers, Portiers, Lace Curtains, Sofa pillow tops, Materials for upholstering at the Petaluma Furniture Co.

A mule kicked to death a man named O. Bonossi, on a ranch near Guernville last Tuesday. Coroner Blackburn held an inquest in that place Wednesday.

Jos. Dillion, son of Geo. Dillion, recent owner of Dillon's Beach in Marin Co., committed suicide by shooting himself in the head with a shot gun last Monday morning; unmarried.

Stone work is cheaper than wood in the end and less expensive to keep in repair. See Wm. Trudgen for stone, cement or Cemetery work of any kind.

Mrs. J. F. Boyce, widow of the late Dr. J. F. Boyce, died in San Francisco Sunday morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Florence Duncan. Mrs. Boyce has been ill for some time and her death was not entirely unexpected, though the sad news will come as a great shock to her many friends.

Cabinet work, refrigerators, book cases, chests and Mission furniture. Properly made to order at Adler's Planing Mill, Spain St.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK

An interesting and enthusiastic meeting of the stock-holders of the Weaver Patent Power and Pump Co. was held in Union Hall last Friday afternoon.

Steps were taken to form the company and get down to business at the earliest possible date in order to supply the increasing demands for the new power pump the company intends to manufacture.

Stock in the company is being rapidly taken up, some of the first subscribers having doubled their original subscriptions.

EASTER SERVICES AT ST. FRANCIS CHURCH

The devotions in St. Francis' Church on Easter Sunday will be as follows: First Mass will be at 8 o'clock A. M. at which the faithful may receive the most Holy Communion. Second Mass will be at 11 o'clock A. M. and will be a High Mass sung by Rev. T. P. Moynihan. The sermon will be preached by Rev. T. McMaboe, on the gospel of the Sunday. The choir will be composed of the Misses Mary Valenti, Aurelia Perazzo, Armenia Maffei, Hazel Gies, Mrs. Haraszthy and Mr Cunningham, under the leadership of Mrs. L. V. Emparan. Organist Miss Maisy Gough. After High Mass there will be Benediction of the Most Holy Sacrament. There will be no devotions in the evening.

Mass at St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen, will be at 9 A. M. at which the faithful may receive the Most Holy Communion.

Existing Conditions Promote Prosperity,

Unquestionably goverment control of rates is a stepping-stone to goverment control of public utilities, and a step toward centralization of power in the federal goverment, which is incompatible with and antagonistic to a free goverment in its fullest sense. It is a species of socialism.

As to exorbitant rates charged and consequent plundering of the farmer and manufacturer, a brief glance at what gains these have made in recent years should dispel any grave concern. Kentucky alone has 9,500 manufactories, with a capital of $154,166,845, an increase during the last ten years of 1,615 and an increase of capital of $27,446,508, and having an annual output of $104,070,791. Kentucky has 234,667 farms, valued at $471-045,856, an increase during the last decade in valuation of $47,875,890. Has there been any reduction of freight rates in Kentucky?

Deposits in national banks in the South have increased $80,395,802 since July 1, 1903. Kuntucky's increase has been $5,730,596. Who are these wealth producers? Are they not the farmer and manufacturer? Is there anything in this record unsatisfactory, or has there been any reduction in rates affecting this section of the country materially? Evidently the present rates are no menace to the prosperity of the Southern farmer and manufacturer.—L. J. Bryant in the Manufacturers' Record.

If you need anything in the house furnishing goods, call at the Petaluma Furniture Co.

Death of Ben S. Wood

Ben S. Wood, Sr., one of the best known men in Sonoma county and for several years Auditor and Recorder of this county, passed away suddenly in Santa Rosa last Friday evening. The funeral took place under the auspices of the Masons, in Santa Rosa last Sunday morning.

Rubke-Landgrebe Wedding.

The parlors of the City Hotel were beautifully and tastefully decorated last Saturday in honor of the marriage of Mr. William Rubke of Shellville, and Miss Pearl Landgrebe.

The decorative scheme was skillfully carried out by friends of the contracting parties, ferns, bridal wreaths and apple blossoms being used.

The happy couple stood beneath the floral bell while Rev. R. Lionel Rowe, pastor of the M. E. Church, spoke the solemn words that made them man and wife.

After the ceremony a sumptuous wedding breakfast, prepared by mine host and Mrs. O'Rourke, was heartily enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Rubke departed on the afternoon train for a short honeymoon after which they will reside in Glen Ellen.

The groom is a very popular and esteemed young man and stands high with the C. N. Co., his employers. The bride who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Landgrebe, is a charming young girl and a general favorite with all her host of friends.

The Expositor joins the many friends of the young couple in wishing them a happy and prosperous journey through life.

HIGH SCHOOL MEETING

The Board of Trustees of the Sonoma Valley Union High School held an interesting meeting at the high school, President R. J. Dowdall in the chair, Saturday afternoon.

Among the many questions discussed was the important one of graduation. It was decided to have two night graduating exercises in the new Union Hall.

On the first evening the class of '06 will give a pleasing program, consisting of a play, music and other literary exercises. The second evening's program will include an oration by some distinguished speaker, the awarding of diplomas and a number of short addresses.

J. M. Allison, the new trustee from Flowery Dist. met with the board the first time since his appointment by the Co. Superintendent.

The board inspected the girl's room, which has undergone repairs and found it in first class shape.

It was unanimovsly decided to ask the Trustees of the City of Sonoma to place a fire hydrant on Broadway near the high school as a protection in case of fire.

The Board then adjourned to meet again the first Saturday in May.

SCHOOL ELECTIONS

Considerable interest was taken in the election held last Friday afternoon for the purpose of electing a new trustee to serve for the ensuing three years.

The vote stood: Fred Batto, 36; B. F. Campbell, 54; and thereupon the latter was declared chosen to fill the place.

In San Luis Dist. Fred Helberg was reelected without opposition. Glen Ellen Dist. chose Chas. J. Poppe by a vote of 46 to 17 for Henry J. Chauvet, Jos. H. Potter was reelected a trustee of Huichica Dist. For High School Trtstee, P. H. Thompson of Huichica, E. H. Johannsen of Watmaugh, and H. Rubke of San Luis, were chosen.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

All Heavyweights

The members of the Board of Supervisors of Sonoma Co. are all in Jefferies class. At a weighing in last week, it was found that the average weight of the gentlemen was 204 pounds and that their total avoirdupois was over half a ton. Supervisor Blair Hart is the lightest man on the board in point of flesh and bone and Supervisor Armstrong is the heaviest, with Supervisor Ike Button as a close second.

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

TEACHERS MEETING

To morrow is the day of the big teachers' meeting in Santa Rosa, called by the County Board of Education to consider plans of concerted action in the matter of advertising Sonoma County at the great N. E. A. meeting in San Francisco this coming summer. All the Sonoma Valley teachers expect to attend.

An Encouraging Letter

San Francisco, Mar. 28, 1906

Dr. John McNeil

Dear Sir—Your letter of seventeenth duly received, and after having read the wonderful merits of Standard Remedy I have decided to have you forward me a sample package, as I am suffering from a severe case of cold foots. I think it is a good remedy to have in the house in case I should get broken hearted. It may help to patch it up.

Miss Hazel said she was going to send for a sample as her ailment is one of the list.

Master Charles wants to know if it will make black rats turn white and bark like a dog?

Do you think if I take enough of Standard, it would turn my hair golden? why don't you try it on the chickens maybe it would make them lay golden eggs, no telling. It certainly is magic.

Could you inform me if it is good to make some poor fellow that has not nerve enough to pop the question do so. If your excellency advises it, I know of an individual that it might help. What is the dose for that complaint?

Jessie said that if it is good for broken hearts you might send her a sample, so that she can give some to her broken hearted victims.

Hoping that you are enjoying good health, which a Standard Remedy physican should, I remain

Your Patient,

Nellie Anxious

P. S. Pardon delay for not answering sooner. Do the pills come sugar coated?

RUNAWAY

Monday morning the Broadway Poultry wagon ran into town from El Verano, without the driver, Mr. Miller. The faithful dog however was sitting upright in the wagon, calmly watching the unusual gait and speed of the horse, with an air that seemed to say, "I'm with you old fellow, go as fast as you please"

Mr. Miller was thrown from the wagon by the sudden starting of the horse, but luckily was not seriously hurt. A piece of canvass from a passing vehicle, flying in the breeze, struck the animal in the face and caused the animal's hurried hike.

Two New Homes

Wm. Trudgen has the contracts for laying the stone foundation for the new Dowdall house on Napa St. and of I. J. McGimsey's new home adjoining and next to the Bonded Warehouse on the same street. Both dwellings will be modern and attractive and will add greatly to the appearance of that section of the city.

Hauto Alleges Conspiracy

When J. P. Hauto, captain of the schooner Four Sisters, who is accused of assault with intent to murder by Franz Krahmann, his wife's uncle, was arraigned before Judge Shortall in San Francisco, last week, he told a story that differed radically from that told by the complainant. According to Hauto, he visited Krahmann's room to find out why the latter had sent his own brother to the insane asylum and had himself appointed as guardian. Hauto claims the brother, also an uncle of his wife, is perfectly sane, and says the argument that led to the trouble was on this point. He says Krahmann picked up a hammer and knocked him down on the floor, from which position he fired one shot.

Don't fail to see the new lot of Spring Hats at G. H. Hotz's this week.

Train Wrecked

An alarming wreck, happily not attended with any loss of life or injury to person, occured Saturday afternoon to the southbound passenger train on the California Northwestern Napa branch. The baggage car and two passenger coaches were derailed and ditched and the track was demoralized for some distance.

The wreck occured just after the California Northwestern train had struck the Southern Pacific track, near Merzzo, in this county, where the Sportsmen's Club have their preserves. For a short distance the California Northwestern trains run on the Southern Pacific track. The accident was caused by the breaking of a wheel.

If Bake You Will

And you will if you want home-made bread. "A 1" Flour is the flour for you. Makes more loaves of light, white bread per barrel than any other flour. Ask your grocer. For Sale by F. Clewe.

It is a good time of the year to lay cement walks. They are the cheapest and best in the end. Wm. Trudgen does that work properly and at a reasonable price. Consult him. Consultation free. *

BODY RECOVERED

Word was received from Guerneville on Saturday afternoon stating that the body of Hardie Prestwood, the man who jumped into Russian river, two weeks ago, to escape capture by a posse, after he had choked aged Mrs. Mrs. Bagley, had been recovered. The river gave up its dead at a place near Berry's Ford, about a mile from where the man plunged into the water.

Easter Hats at G. H. Hotz.

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Write and tell us why and where you first bought B B FLOUR and how long you have used it. Tell us how you like and whether you have found it an agreeable and wholesome addition to the family menu. Tell us about the PAN CAKES, the BOSTON MUFFINS, the FRUIT PUDDING and the FAMOUS BOSTON BROWN BREAD.

Now, to the person sending us the best recommendation and the most artistic letter, we will pay $5 in gold; and we will pay $1 each for all other letters that we use. We wish to use these letters in our advertising, but no name will be published without the written consent of the writer.

If you have not used self-rising B. B. B. flour get a package and begin now; we will give you sufficient time to take advantage of this offer.

Every good grocer sells it and you will find directions in every package.

Use the four principal receipts and write us about it. We are interested in your experience.

ALLEN'S B. B. B. FLOUR CO., Pacific Coast Factory, San Jose, Calif.

SALE OF ENAMELED WARE

Commencing Tuesday, April 10, at 10 a m. Everything goes at 25c —Racket Store.

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

Adler has on hand a fine stock of fence posts.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

All taxpayers are required by the constitution to make and deliver to the County Assessor, annually, a statement, under oath, setting forth specifically all the real and personal property owned by such person, or in his possession, or under his control, at 12 o'clock meridian on the FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH

Note: The assessment of property throughout the State of California is made during the months of March, April, May and June, and the law requires that each individuel property holder file a statement with the Assessor or his deputy during those months.

MORTGAGES

Mortgagees, or persons who hold mortgages against others, must annually during the month of March report to the Assessor the amount due on their mortgages, on the first Monday in March, otherwise proper deduction cannot be made.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

The Assessor must collect the taxes on all personal property when, in his opinion, said taxes are not a lien upon real property sufficient to secure the payment of the taxes. The Assessor or his deputy must collect such taxes at the time of making the assestment.

STATE POLL AND ROAD POLL TAX

Are due on demand from all persons liable to same. Between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July, the amount is $2.00 each, if not paid by the first Monday in July, $1.00 is added and the amount becomes $3.00 each.

All persons owning real estate that has heretofore been assessed to the wrong name, or those who have purchased real estate within the past year, are requested to appear with their deeds at the Assessor's office or to the deputies, during the months of March, April and May, and have the proper changes made.

Will those having fruit trees or vines kindly enumerate the same, giving number and age of each kind, so as to save time when the Deputy Assessor calls.

Any desired information relative to assessments will be furnished upon application at the County Assessor's office, Court House, Santa Rosa.

FRANK E. DOWD,
County Assessor
M. AKERS, Dep. for Sonoma Dist.

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A San Francisco Letter All About Glen Ellen

What a boon it is to the city dwellers to spend the week-end amid the Glen Ellen hills! After a long winter, this charming spot has awakened from its hibernation, and is once more engaging in the activities of life.

This awakening was fully demonstrated on Friday last when the election for school trustee took place. I am told that on former occasions they had to go forth into the highways and byways in order to corral enough votes to make the election legal. But on Friday last the votes came voluntarily from all quarters and with enthusiasm. It was a veritable landslide as much so as if the school house hill had slid down as the men were climbing its steep side. The ballot stood 43 to 17 in Mr. Poppe's favor.

Travel is growing rather brisk on the C. N. Ry. City dwellers are hastening to secure suitable camping locations and engaging board at the hotels and neighboring resorts for the summer vacation.

Also the wedding bells have again commenced to ring. Last Saturday another Glen Ellen beauty plighted her troth, and I hear that Miss Mae Monahan will become a bride immediately after Easter. The supply of marrigeable girls in this place seems to be rapidly diminishing, and it would be a good idea for someone to send on a fresh invoice, as there still remains a number of eligible parties of the male persuasion and 'tis said, "In the Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love." Now, girls, is the accepted time. Get in and win!

AJAX.

You will find a very large stock of carpets and matting, and can be easily suited if you will call at the Petaluma Furniture Co.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA.

J. P. LOUSTALET, Plaintiff.
vs.
Edward Stephens, R. R. Peirpont, John Griffin, Stephen Card, Robert J. Pauli, Caroline Pauli, Albert F. Pauli, Paulina Pauli, Eloisa Pauli Raschen, Peter Campbell, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants

This action is brought in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, and the complaint in said action is filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex-officio clerk of said Court.

The People of the State of California send greetings to Edward Stephens, R. R. Peirpont, John Griffin, Stephen Card, Robert J. Pauli, Caroline Pauli, Albert F. Pauli, Paulina Pauli, Eloisa Pauli Raschen, Peter Campbell, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants.

The plaintiff above named has brought an action against you and each of you in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma State of California, entitled as above, and has filed the complaint in said action in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex-officio clerk of said Court.

And you are, and each of you is, hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in said action within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within said county; and if served elsewhere and without said county, then within thirty days after service of same upon you.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any relief demanded in the complaint.

The real property affected by said action, situate, lying and being in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. fifty (50), except that portion thereof in the northeast corner being one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet fronting on Napa Street by a uniform depth of one hundred and fifty (150) feet, now owned by Granville S. Harris; also lots Nos. forty-nine (49), sixty-four (64), sixty-five (65), and forty-eight (48), also that certain strip or parcel of land form rly known as a street and lying and being between lots 48 and 65 on the west and lots 49 and 64 on the east, Saving and excepting, however, from out of said lots, Nos. 65 and 48, that certain strip of land on the west side, said lot being twenty (20) feet wide and six hundred and fifty-five (655) feet long, heretofore sold and conveyed by P. J. Vasquez and Catherine, his wife, to Gaetano Noli, saving and excepting also out of said lots Nos. 65 and 48, the several certain portions thereof fronting two hundred (200) feet on Napa Street, by a depth of six hundred and fifty-five (655) feet, sold and conveyed by L. Quartaroli and Amelia Quartaroli, his wife, to Luigi Maffea by a deed dated March 15th, 1905.

The object of said action is as follows:

1. To oblige the said defendants to set forth the nature of their claims in and to said lands.

2. To obtain a decree of said Court whereby all claims of said defendants, all and singular, in and to said lands, adverse to the said plaintiff's ownership thereof, shall be determined.

3. To obtain a decree of said Court declaring and adjudging that said plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of said lands, and that said defendants, all and singular, have no estate in or to said lands or any part thereof.

4. To have said defendants, all and singular, by said court forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said lands adverse to said plaintiff.

5. To obtain an award and allowance by said court to said plaintiff of their costs in said action and to obtain such other relief as in the premises shall to said court seem meet.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, this 12th day of December, 1905.

SEAL

F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk
By G. A. FELDMEYER, Deputy Clerk

Amended Petition is Filed

In the Superior Court an amended petition for letters of administration was filed in the estate of I. W. Rambo. The petitioner is J. H. Rambo. The amount of the property is $808.62. The Hon. J. T. Campbell is the attorney for the petitioner.

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SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California.
In and for the County of Sonoma. No. 6308.
In the matter of the Life Estate of ROSE SARTOR, deceased.
Camille Aguillon, Petitioner.

Application for Decree to declare Life Estate terminated. C. C. P. Sec. 1723. R. F. Crawford Attorney for Petitioner.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Frank L. Blackburn, administrator of the estate of Rose Sartor, deceased, and generally to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, other than the said heirs.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the petition or proceeding in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Petitioner will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Petition, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Petition.

SEAL

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court this 24th day of March, 1906.
F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk.
By J. W. FORD, Deputy Clerk.

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, In and for the County of Sonoma. No. 6307.
GILBERT P MILLER, Plaintiff
vs.
BESSIE MILLER, Defendant

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the Complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma.

Clarence F. Lea, Santa Rosa, California, Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Bessie Miller, Defendant:

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

SEAL

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court, this 26th day of March 1906.
F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk.
By J. W. FORD, Deputy Clerk.

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long day. This is not because they are without mother-love or the natural impulses of a womanly woman. It is because of their own ill-health and broken nerves, and because baby is also sickly and peevish. This unfortunate state of affairs might have been avoided had the mother, during the period of expectant motherhood, taken the right care of the delicate organs that make maternity possible. A woman should always keep these important organs well and strong. Her own health and that of her child depend upon it.

The best medicine for prospective mothers is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It makes healthy and strong the organs that bear the burdens of maternity. It cures all disease and weakness. It makes comfortable the period proceeding motherhood and renders the advent of baby easy and nearly painless. It insures a healthy child. The pains and suffering that women endure, as a result of weakness of the distinctly womanly organism, vanish under its use. All good druggists sell it. There is nothing else "just as good."

"I will write a few lines in praise of your wonderful medicine," says Mrs. Elizabeth McConell, of Rochester, Ind. "They have done wonderful work in my family for both male and female. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best lung medicine I ever heard of. It works like magic. It has done good work for us in every case where we have tried it. I believe that by the help of God, it saved my life. The 'Favorite Prescription' is a boon to females; it has done wonders for both of my daughters in their sicknesses. I advise all women who are afflicted to try it, and if they do they will never regret the price paid for it.

"My daughter is in quite good health, thanks to Dr. Pierce's medicines. My wishes are that all who are afflicted will try them and see what good can be done for the sick."

Mrs. Edw. J. Bergstresser, of Topton, Berks Co., Pa., writes: "After suffering for many years with all kinds of ills, I am to-day a well woman—thanks to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I used three bottles of each. Have no more headache; monthy pains are a thing of the past."

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Only one or two of these tiny, sugar-coated Pellets will regulate, tone up and set in healthy, vigorous action a foul stomach, torpid liver and sluggish bowels. Little Pill, little dose; produce great results. First put up by old Dr. R. V. Pierce, over 40 years ago. Much imitated but never equaled.

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NAILS, TACKS OR GLASS WONT LET OUT THE AIR

Notice the thick rubber tread "A" and puncture strips "B" and "D," also rim strip "H" to prevent rim cutting. This tire will outlast any other make—SOFT, ELASTIC and EASY RIDING.

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We will allow a cash discount of 5 per cent (thereby making the price $4.56 per pair) if you send **FULL CASH WITH ORDER** and enclose this advertisement. We will also send one nickel plated brass hand pump and two Sampson metal puncture closers on full paid orders (these metal puncture closers to be used in case of intentional knife cuts or heavy gashes). Tires to be returned at OUR expense if for any reason they are not satisfactory on examination.

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COASTER-BRAKES, built-up-wheels, saddles, pedals, parts and repairs, and everything in the bicycle line are sold by us at half the usual prices charged by dealers and repair men. Write for our big SUNDRY catalogue.

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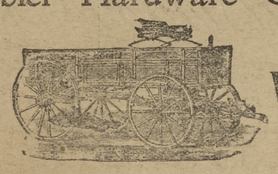

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BLACKSMITH WEAVER

The El Verano correspondent of the Expositor made a slight mistake in a recent issue in saying that 'Roxey Murphy' was being groomed for the next race meet.

It is her owner, A. W. Weaver, the El Verano blacksmith, who is grooming to shoe the race horses. The horse he shoes always wins. See? Mr. Weaver is an expert at horseshoeing. Ask his hundreds of satisfied customers.

SONOMA SKATING RINK

The Sonoma Brass Band will play some lively selections at the rink to-morrow night. Fine jolly time. Better go and and share in the fun.

Plans are under way to build a fine large pavilion in the near future for the skating rink.

Poultry Stock Food

Buy Purina Poultry and Stock Foods of Batto & Son, Vineburg or Sonoma. Also hay grain, feed flour, Sonoma depot at L. H. Green's Lumber Yard. *

You can get anything and everything in the building line of A. W. Adler, mill and lumber yards, Spain St. Sonoma.

LOCAL ITEMS

Last week in the item relating to the action brought by A. Marcucci against the Ohm estate, the amount should have been $700 instead of $7000.

Through his attorney, Clarence F. Lea, defendant in the case of Angelina Marosoli vs. L. Massuchi, has filed a notice of intention to move for a new trial.

Miss Emily S. Loud of San Francisco, is spending a few days in Sonoma.

All kinds of furniture for sale at the Petaluma Furniture Co. Call and inspect stock, whether you wish to purchase or not.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nolan went to Santa Rosa last Friday evening for a visit.

V. Bulotti is contemplating a trip to his old home in Switzerland in the near future. He has not yet decided as to the exact date of his departure.

George W. Spencer, manager of the Union Pulp and Paper Co. of San Francisco, is the guest of his brother-in-law, G. S. Harris,

Jos. F. Ryan was called to Oakland Monday owing to the serious illness of his brother, Neil.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; Hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

Mrs. Jas. F. Tate and infant came up from San Francisco Monday.

You can dress better and pay less if you order your tailor made suit from Chas. DalPoggetto. *

D. A. Fussell transacted business in Santa Rosa last Friday evening.

Eph Weiss, the expert refracting optician, will be in Sonoma at the Union Hotel, May 2nd.

John Laux was over from Petaluma Sunday on a visit with home folks.

L. Modini and E. Eraldi left on Tuesday morning for New York, where they will take a steamer for Italy.

Rev. Father Leahy spent Saturday in Sonoma. His many friends were pleased to see him, while he will not be able to resume his duties for some time yet, he is now rapidly improving.

Don't build before getting figures on your building from A. W. Adler. He will save you money.

Mrs. S. Lewis spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. Brown, at Kenwood.

John Mather, of Santa Rosa, was in Sonoma on Sunday. He will leave shortly for a trip to the old country.

R. S. Wightman went to San Francisco Tuesday to procure new skates for the Sonoma Skating Rink. The rink is becoming more popular every day, and the demand for skates is steadily increasing.

Last Friday Mr. Harry Bernard placed an advertisement in the Expositor, offering for sale his fine sorrel team. Through the advertisement the team was sold to Mr. Peter Seigrist, who is proud of his new roadsters.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

Mrs. S. Carriger and daughter, Ollie, spent Sunday with friends in Napa.

R. Chapman and Miss B. Bailey, visited friends in Napa County, on Sunday last.

Mr. Phelan visited friends in Vallejo last Sunday.

Mike Maffei spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maffei.

Mrs. C. Bernasconi has rented a cottage on 3rd. St. West. She is here for the benefit of her son's health and will remain for several months.

Mrs. Ada Pauli and son, Roy, spent Sunday in Sacramento, where Mrs Pauli's mother is very ill.

Mrs. P. Peraso and children, are enjoying a visit in the valley.

For aid in pressing your suit, see Chas. Dal Poggetto. He'll tell you how to win her heart and hand. *

Easter Hats—Racket Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Decker of Minnesota, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waters.

Mrs. A. H. Cohen and baby of San Francisco, are guests of Mrs. R. E. Dowdall at Glen Ellen.

Mr. L. M. Scrivener of San Francisco, the well known capitalist and real estate owner, is sojourning at El Verano Villa.

Easter Hats. Pay less and dress better by buying at the Racket Store.

Alfred Warriner and Alfred Jansen are both suffering from sprained wrists sustained from a fall in the rink.

Prof. W. C. Nolan came down from Santa Rosa Tuesday afternoon for a brief stay.

To-morrow it will be the duty of the Sonoma County Board of Education to investigate the charges preferred against W. C. Nolan and signed by a stranger of San Francisco.

Walter Poulson is working for Chapman Bros. this week.

Miss Alice Humphrey is spending her vacation with relatives in Oakland.

Mrs. Geo. Chase and son of San Francisco, are guests at the Seipp home in Sonoma.

Miss Ruth Poppe came up from the metropolis Sunday to greet her new brother, J. E. Poppe, Jr.

The regular monthly meeting of the Altimira Club will be held Tuesday evening at Mr. MacQuiddy's.

Congregational Church—April 15 A. M. Processional children hymn, floral cross and cradle with service. Special music. Easter sermon. P. M. Easter sermon.

Mrs. Walter Gaige and Mrs. A. Cereghino were prominent Glen Ellen people who were in town on Tuesday.

Miss Pearl Bailey is taking a commercial course at the Presentation Convent, This branch of instruction is becoming popular at this institution, and the Sisters are taking special pains to make it a success. There is no necessity of going to a San Francisco college, when you can get the same courses right here in Sonoma at a much smaller expenditure.

R. Chapman, of the firm of Chapman Bros., is suffering from an attack of malaria. His many friends hope to hear of an early restoration to his usual good health.

Miss Lucy Equi returned Wednesday from a visit with Santa Rosa friends.

Horace Appleton and his fiancee of San Francisco, spent Sunday with the former's parents in Sonoma.

Mrs. G. A. Goess, accompanied by her granddaughter, little Miss Homer. returned from San Francisco, Sunday.

Contractor R. E. Murphy was slightly indisposed a few days this week.

Robt. Hall returned Monday evening from a week's visit in San Francisco, Oakland and Palo Alto.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational Church are preparing to give a fine entertainment in Union Hall on the evening of May 4. next.

COLD FACTS

H. G. Dowdall and A. H. Cohen are now in this town answering in person the many inquiries that have been mailed to them in regard to Half Moon Bay Realty. Mr. Cohen, who is outside manager for J. H. Jordan Co. of San Francisco, says that he found business so good at Glen Ellen that he has not been able until now to call on the people of this town.

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Twenty-seven lots of Half Moon Bay Realty were sold in Glen Ellen during the last three weeks. The names of the investors can be had upon request from A.H. Cohen

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A. M. Hardman and F. Farnocchia of Glen Ellen, both of whom have bought four lots, visited Half Moon Bay during the week and express themselves as well pleased with their investment, and are enthusiastic over the future of that part of the state. They heartily recommend it to their many friends

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Rumor has it that Leo Dowdall, who is part owner with his father, of five lots at Half Moon Bay, intends to build cottages at that town as soon as he completes his own cottage here, which promises, by the way, to be the finest in the town.

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Work is being rushed on the Ocean Shore Railroad since the granting of the franchise by the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco. Five hundred men are at work at Half Moon Bay building the power house, new steel pier, erecting the electric poles, etc. Another crew is working up from Santa Cruz. The work train is at Ocean View pushing its way into the heart of San Francisco.

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Call at the Union Hotel and see the beautiful large picture of Half Moon Bay. Messrs. Dowdall and Cohen will be pleased to answer all questions and to give all information relative to this beautiful new suburb of San Francisco.

The City Electfons

Monday passed off very quietly for election day, especially when there were so many candidates for the various offices.

There being nine candidates for the office of Trustee, the result was uncertain and even the wise ones refrained from making predictions until after the votes were counted. Then the "I told you so's" were flying thick and fast.

Jos. F. Ryan refused to be a candidate for City Marshal, and had several notices posted to that effect and Marshal Albertson had no opposition to re-election to the office he has filled for so many years.

Geo. Breitenbach, Henry Bates and J. Wagnon were chosen Trustees for the ensuing four years.

Jos. B. Small was re-elected City Clerk, and Jesse Burris was elected City Treasurer.

The vote stood as follows:

For Trustee—	
Breitenbach	101
Bates	88
Wagnon	80
Quartaroli	62
Gottenberg	45
Pinelli	33
Dal Poggetto	25
Yenni	13
Murphy	11
For Clerk—	
Small	99
Green	72
For Treasurer—	
Burris	116
Clewe	50
L. Maffei	1
For Marshal—	
Albertson	138

Carpets cleaned, and mattresses made over at the Petaluma Furniture Co.

M. E. Church

Easter Services next Sunday. Speelal service for children in the morning at 11 o'clock.

The Union Christian Endeavors will meet here at 6:30 P. M. This will be followed at 7:30 by a special gospel service. The Temple Lodge of F. & A. M. have accepted the invitation to be present at the service.

A cordial welcome will be given to all who will attend these Easter meetings.

A clean face and stylish suit are important factors in making favorable impressions. See Chas. Dal Poggetto, the tonsorial artist, Napa St., Sonoma. *

Visitors From Chile

Arthur Landsborough, who left Sonoma Valley nineteen years ago, for Iquique, South America, is at present on a visit in the valley. He is accompanid by his wife and niece, and are the guests of Mrs. Lubeck at Locust Grove.

Mr. Landsborough was in Sonoma yesterday renewing old acquaintances and with his old friend Marshal Albertson made the Expositor office a pleasant visit.

Mr. Landsborough is delighted to be back in good old Sonoma again and expects to remain away from his post of duty for about six months, during which time he and his wife will travel extensively through the United States and Europe before returning to their home.

While on a visit in Equador, recently, Mr. Landsborough became acquainted with a Signor Rios who fought in the army of Gen. Vallejo and recounted to him many stirring incidents in the early life of Sonoma Valley.

Mr. Landsborough notes with pleasure the many improvements and changes in Sonoma since he left the valley.

Trial Comes to Abrupt End

The suit brought by F. Bocca against F. Quien, for alleged unlawful detainer of plaintiff's ranch near Glen Ellen, which had been in the court calendar for a long time, came to an abrupt ending Wednesday afternoon when Attorney L.C. Pistolesi, representing the plaintiff, dismissed the suit without prejudice.

One of the reasons given for the dismissal of the suit was that there was a wrong description of land.

From the start the allegations of Bocca's complaint were vigorously denied by Mr. Quien, and it was believed that he had slim chances to win.

APPROACHING NUPTIALS

The marriage of Conductor Jas. F. Haley of the C. N. Ry., and Miss Monahan. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Monahan, of Glen Ellen, will be solemnized in St. Mary's Church next Wednesday.

Letter of Sympathy

At a meeting of the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club held last Friday afternoon, a resolution was passed, with but one dissenting voice, instructing the secretary to write and forward to Mrs. W. C. Nolan, a letter of sympathy on account of the attacks made upon the good name of her husband. Mrs. Nolan is a highly esteemed member of the club and is generally beloved by all who know her.

The club has a membership of 80 and includes many of the most prominent ladies of the valley.

Ranges and stoves, granite ware etc. A good assortment at the Petaluma Furniture Co.

PURE BLOOD IS VITAL

Not everyone realizes the vital necessity of keeping the blood pure at all times. Impure blood not only causes various derangements and inability to perform one's work well, but gives a ready welcome to all germs of disease with which it comes in contact. It is the rankest extravagance to allow the human blood to remain in an impure or impoverished condition. "Our Standard Remedy" is the safest, purest and best blood purifier on the market to-day. It is a new remedy, a purely vegetable preparation composed of roots, barks and herbs, and contains no calomel or other injurious or metallic drug. 204 doses for $1, with a written guarantee that your money will be refunded if you are not cured of all troubles caused directly or indirectly by bad blood. You can purchase this wonderful new remedy at Clewe's. John McNeil, sole agent for Sonoma County, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma.

Chas. Dal Pogetto, the tonsorial artist, will suit you in tailor-made garments at the lowest possible figures. *

NEW BRICK YARD

Mr. Cunningham of San Francisco, spent a few days this week in and about Sonoma inquiring into the proposition of starting a brick and terra cotta works here.

So far it appears that there is plenty of the right kind of soil for the manufacture of a fine light brick and terra cotta. The places inspected were in the hills near town. More definite information is expected in a few days.

Satisfactory, substantial work at reasonable prices bringsb usiness That is why Wm. Trudgen the stone mason, is so busy at the present time. Call and see him.

Baby Has Narrow Escape

Mrs. A M. Thomson and Mrs P. Yenni were greatly alarmed Monday morning when they suddenly discovered an empty carbolic acid bottle in the hands of the former's baby. Luckily the babies did not swallow any of the poison but Miss Cecilia was slightly burned on the lips and hands. Miss Yenni was not burned at all. Dr. Thomson was absent in answer to a professional call and Dr. Nichols was hurriedly summoned and relieved the baby's burns.

Beautiful Easter Hats at G. H. Hotz.

MODELS OF Excellence ARE THE New Waists AT THE Racket Store

VOCAL LESSONS

Lessons given to beginners, Terms reasonable.

C. T. CUNNINGHAM.

Easter Week

Five days then Easter. Everything for your choosing. Dress Goods, Wash Goods, Gloves, Ribbons, Gold and Silver Belts, Ladies' Suits and Skirts—and for the men: Stylish Spring Suits, Hats, Neck wear, Latest Style, Belts, quality and all moderately priced.

White Wash Skirts

Quality and style combined, cut extra full, pleated and trimmed in the fashion's latest style. A special for Easter week, each $1.25

Gold and Silver Belts

Another lot just recived by express, new styles, best quality two prices, 25c and 50c

Hand Bags

Newest styles, a large assortment to choose from, all excellent values, you'll appreciate the quality when you see them ..... 75c up

Ribbons

Excellent values. We have the prettiest patterns and the best qualities. Don't fail to look over our line before buying, you'll find the styles the latest, qualties the best and prices right.

Ribbon-Pastel Shades, No. 150 width (about 5 inches) excellent values. As an introduction to our large eastern stock, yard 25c

Fancy Ribbons, an assortment of widths and designs, good 12½c and 15c values, yard 10c

Men's Suits

A special lot Men's Outing Suits, latest styles, best quality material. An Easter Week offering at $12.50

Neckties

A pretty line, all bright and new—four-in-hands—a good 50c value, each 35c

Hats

Straws, Panamas and Felts, from the best makers in the country, and they have style, quality and best of all a price that will suit you.

Hale's GOOD GOODS

Petaluma Cal.

Buy the H. B. Guaranteed Glove, made only for Hales six California Stores.

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Dr. G. C. Nichols

Dr. Nichols many friends will be pleased to know that he has concluded to remain in Sonoma for the practice of his profession. He has opened offices in the Clewe Building in the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Scheuer.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISING

Advertisements inserted under this head for 5 cents per line for the first insertion and 3 cts per line for each subsequent insertion, payable in advance

WANTED—To buy a good strong family buggy horse. Call on or address Mrs. R. E. Dowdall, Glen Ellen, Cal.

FOR SALE—One 4-yr old milch cow, one mare, 5 years old, weight about 1000 lbs. Call or address, W. Van Horn, Baxter Tract.

FOR SALE—A gentle horse, $15. Address this office.

FOR SALE—One incubator and brooder, new and in good order. Name, Racine. Price $30. Apply at the "Lark." Antonia Acquistapace, Agua Caliente, Cal.

FINE INVESTMENT—House and lot in Richmond, Santa Fe terminus, always rented, steady income, lot 25 x 120. Would sell for $1,050 cash, no less, or trade for small chicken place in Sonomo Valley. Inquire at Expositor office.

RARE OPPORTUNITY

FOR SALE—Poultry business; all necessary improvements, horse, wagon, cart, 300 young hens, 2 incubators and brooders, wire poultry fencing and lumber for building, good cottage, 8 acre land. Price $500; rent $8 per month. Inquire immediately at the Expositor office.

FOR SALE—Settings of Pure Bred White Wyandotte eggs. Only $1.00 per setting of 15 eggs. Write or inquire of Chas. R. Potter, Shellville, Cal.

With a trade thoroughly learned and twenty years experience in the business you have a skilled workman. We refer to Wm. Trudgen the Sonoma stone mason and contractor.

All articles left at Mrs. Lutgens for repairs will receive prompt attention by Daunt. *

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We employ none but skillful dentists of long experience. Our methods are guaranteed to be absolutely painless and perfectly antiseptic. No charge for extraction of teeth unless they are painlessly removed. Where the patient orders a plate we do not charge for necessary extractions. We restore decaying teeth, we replace lost teeth and beautify sound teeth.

We guarantee for fifteen years our plates and bridge work to fit, to be comfortable, serviceable and natural.

A discount of 10 per cent to out-of-town patients who pay railway fare to San Francisco.

PRICES:

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Pure Gold Crowns	2.50
Natural Bridge Work, per tooth	2.50
Permanent Fillings	.50

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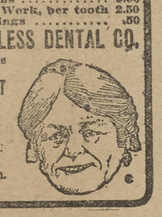

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San Francisco, San Rafael and intermediates.

Leave Sonoma—week days—6:18 a. m., 3:41 p. m; Sundays—6:30 a. m., 3:36 p. m. Arrive Sonoma—week days—10:00 a. m., 7:20 p.m. Sundays—10:25 a. m., 7:20 p. m.

Glen Ellen and intermediates.

Leaves Sonoma—week days—10:00 a. m., 7:20 p. m. Sundays—10:25 and 7:20 p. m. Arrive Sonoma—Sundays—6:18 a. m., 3:20 p. m.; week days—6:18 a. m., 3:41 p. m.

Healdsburg, Cloverdale, Ukiah, Guerneville Sebastopol, Willits, Sherwood and intermediates.

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Santa Rosa, Petaluma and intermediates

Leave Sonoma—week days—6:18 a. m, and 3:41 p. m. Sundays—6:30 a m. and 3:36 p. m. Arrive at Sonoma—week days—10:00 a. m. and 7:20 p. m. Sundays—10:25 a. m. and 7:20 p. m.

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Meals 25c and 50c. Lodging 25c, 50c.

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SAYS HE SLEW STEUNENBERG

Harry Orchard, Wholesale Assassin, Confesses Murder of Idaho's Ex-Governor.

ONLY ONE OF MANY VICTIMS

Dynamiting at Independence, Colo., Which Cost Thirteen Lives, Was Orchard's Work—Run Down by Nemesis of Molly Maguires.

Harry Orchard, alleged tool of the so called "inner circle" of the Western Federation of Miners, has made a confession. These are some of the things he says he has done by order of the "inner circle:"

He planted and exploded the bomb which blew up the railroad station at Independence, Colo., killing thirteen men and mangling six others.

He arranged the mechanism and planted the bomb which slew former Governor Steunenberg of Idaho as he was entering the gate of his home in Caldwell, Ida.

He hired a man to poison to death his former associate, Neville, at Goldfields, Nev.

He laid a bomb in the path of Chief Judge Gebbert of Colorado, and, though the judge is alive, an innocent man was blown to bits.

He buried a bomb at the gate to the residence of Judge Goddard of the supreme court of Colorado in Denver. Judge Goddard escaped death, and the bomb was dug up after Orchard's confession.

He plotted the death of Governor Peabody of Colorado, and the latter was on several occasions within a few moments or a few inches of death.

He was the instrument chosen to slay D. H. Moffatt, a wealthy Colorado banker and railroad owner, who unwittingly saved his own life by opportunely sailing for Europe.

He attempted to wreck a train bearing more than 200 persons returning from a military ball, but for once his heart failed him, and he warned the conductor.

As a result of Orchard's confession President Charles H. Moyer, Secretary William D. Haywood and Executive Officer Pettibone of the Western Federation are in the Canyon county (Ida.) jail charged with instigating the murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg.

It was James MacParland, the Pinkerton detective, who broke up the infamous Molly Maguires in the anthracite coal fields many years ago, who ran Orchard down and forced him to tell what he had done.

Three days after the assassination of Steunenberg the case was turned over to McParland. His suspicions from the first were directed toward Orchard, and within a short time he had sufficient evidence to warrant his arrest.

Cowed by Awful Silence.

By McParland's orders Orchard was taken to the Boise penitentiary and placed in solitary confinement in one of the death cells. Everything was done for his luxurious comfort except that he could not have the daily papers, and under no circumstances was he to hear the sound of the human voice. The death corridor was still as the grave, the men outside the door sat

HARRY ORCHARD.

like tombstones, and the man who brought his meals came and went without a word.

The first day or two Orchard did not appear to mind it, but amused himself by eating, sleeping and trying now and then to speak to the man by the door. Dead silence met him. Finally he began to get nervous and jump at the sound of footsteps in the distant corridor. He became irritable and moody.

The third day he could not eat and was very restless. Four more days passed. Orchard was eating next to nothing and getting desperate with nerves. The silence and anxiety were telling on him badly. Then McParland went in. To his surprise Orchard recognized him and, evidently glad of any human being to speak to, greeted him with: "I know you. You're 'Old Man Mac.' We've got your picture."

After that it was merely a question of days. Gradually Orchard broke down. The deathwatch, the silent scrutiny of those sleepless men, the long, idle days and depressing nights, the growing certainty that the detectives knew all about everything and that his accomplices would let him shift for himself if he tried to enmesh them made him desperate. If he had to go he didn't propose to go alone. When McParland went in again he was willing to break the horrible monotony and silence that hemmed him in.

The biggest "pull off" for Orchard was when he blew up the Independence station.

"I did it all right," said Orchard "but first I had to frame up a getaway and my abili. There was a man named Neville, who had a saloon down there. He wasn't doing very well. I was pretty friendly with him, and I said: 'Let's go to Cody, Wyo. The papers say things are doing up there.'

Framing Up an Alibi.

"We got a team and wagon, stocked it up, and Neville and his boy, about twelve, and I started away about 3 o'clock one afternoon. I had decided to pull the job off that night. We drove ten or twelve miles and stopped and camped. After supper the boy went to sleep, and as Neville was getting ready for bed I said: 'I left my gun in Cripple Creek. I'm going back and get it. I can jump on a horse and be back by midnight.'

"I got my horse and went back to Independence. I went up to the station, leaving my horse behind a dump a couple of hundred yards away. I had fixed my explosives the night before and planted my gun with the wire running down along the track to a switch behind the pile of refuse. All I had to do was to get in there and pull the wire when the train got in. I heard the train coming and saw the fellows running down the hill. Then I got in

THE KILLING OF STEUNENBERG.

to my position, got my wire and waited for them to strike the platform. After I did the job the get-away was easy."

The "job" was the blowing up of nineteen nonunion men, thirteen of whom were torn limb from limb and scattered to the four winds and six of whom were crippled for life.

"When I got back to the camp," Orchard continued, "Neville was asleep, and I turned in. The next morning we started out early and traveled all day without meeting anybody. Along about night we passed a cabin, where a man stood in the door reading a newspaper.

"'When did you leave the Creek?' he asked, 'Yesterday afternoon, 3 o'clock,' I answered. 'Then you don't know the news!' he said excitedly. He read us the account, and Neville turned to me with a queer look. 'You didn't hear anything of this when you went back for your gun, did you?' he asked. 'Certainly not,' I answered, but I knew then that he suspected me."

They went on to Denver and then to Cody, where apparently they did not find things quite as they had anticipated. Orchard found it expedient to keep on the move and went into Montana. After the Independence excitement had subsided Haywood sent for him and on his arrival in Denver informed him that Neville had been back in Denver and knew too much. Neville had "gone broke" in Wyoming and, with his boy, had returned and walked boldly into the office of the federation. "I want some money," he said meaningly, and he got it.

Leaving the boy with the mother in Cripple Creek, Neville went on to Goldfield, Nev., a marked man. He lived a year, but under the constant surveillance of the federation. About three months ago he died of poisoning, the papers said.

Peabody's Charmed Life.

"It's not as easy to 'get' a man as you'd think," said Orchard authoritatively. He "tried" Governor Peabody so many times that he came to believe that some sort of providence was guarding him. Orchard and a man known by the name of Simpkins were on this "job" for a long time. Eventually they got a bomb down just off the walk in front of the Peabody house, and they spent days trying to "get" the governor. One time Orchard stood with his hand on the wire, with Simpkins waiting across the street to give him the signal. Just as the governor stepped within the radius of the infernal machine a coal wagon backed up a few doors away, with its wheels on the wire.

Once, Orchard says, he saw Governor Peabody carelessly sitting in line with a window reading, the room brightly lighted and the shades not drawn. Immediately he went for a bomb with the idea of placing it on the window sill. It was a time fuse bomb, with a clock attachment. All it needed was to be hooked together after it was in position. He kept it in a dress suit case in his hotel, and as he was going out of the room with it an insurance man came in. "Where is that clock?" he asked, looking about the room. Orchard said he had no clock, but the man insisted he heard one ticking. Moreover, he stayed so long that altogether his visit put that particular plan out of commission.

Racial Discrimination.

A small French-Italian coasting steamer was proceeding on its way. The passengers were of various nationalities—English, American, French, Italian and one large German. Most of the male passengers were gathered in the smoking room when the steward appeared at the door and with a bow announced, "Dinner, it is serve!"

The English and American contingent arose and started toward the dining saloon. The steward, seeing that his announcement had not been understood by all, continued, "Messieurs, c'est servi!" and as a portion of the passengers still remained seated, "Il pranzo e servito!"

The French and Italians followed the English and Americans, leaving the large German in solitary state.

"Himmel!" he muttered hungrily. "Is it dot no German mans gets somethings to eat on dis boat, hein?"—Harper's Weekly.

Fish Killed by Superaerated Water.

In consequence of a leaky suction pipe introducing unintentionally an abnormal quantity of air into the water supplied to aquaria at the United States bureau of fisheries station at Wood's Holl the discovery was recently made that such superaeration of water may cause the death of fish. This discovery led to an investigation, described by M. C. Marsh in the Scientific American. It was found that the superaerated water contained an excess of both oxygen and nitrogen, but that the fatal effects were due almost entirely to the nitrogen. The death of the fish was caused by the free gas entering and distending the blood vessels. Some of the fish were buoyed up by air blisters and could hardly keep below the surface.

Pledged Not to Kiss.

An antikissing club has been formed in Urbana, O., in consequence of the principal of the high school lecturing the girls of the sophomore class for allowing young men to kiss and hug them. No young man will be allowed to kiss any of the members of the club. If the girls violate the rule they must pay a fine of $5 or be suspended for fifteen days. Meetings are held every Wednesday night after prayer meeting.

The Nautilus.

The idea of airtight compartments in ships was suggested by the peculiar construction of the nautilus. The shell of this animal has forty or fifty compartments, into which air or water may be admitted, to allow the occupant to sink or float, as it pleases.

RISKED LIFE TO STOP TRAINS

Towerman, Almost Dead From Wounds, Set Levers With Bleeding Hands.

HE FELL DOWN STAIRS

With Two Deep Gashes in His Head and Internal Injuries, He Climbed Back to His Post of Duty.

With blood pouring from two terrible gashes in his head and injured internally, James Scales, twenty-two years old, climbed a steep iron stairway into the signal tower of the Lackawanna railroad at Denville, N. J., and set all the signals against trains. Scales then left the tower and managed to reach his home, two miles distant, where the doctors found his condition critical. Scales was injured by falling from the tower.

For several hours it was thought that Scales had been murdered and his body carried off and concealed. The first train to be halted by the signals was a passenger, No. 454, with commuters for New York. The engineer stopped his train close to the tower house and climbed the stairs. He found all the switch levers smeared with blood. There were big splotches of blood on the floor, and, examining the stairs, the engineer found blood stains all the way to the ground. He became convinced that the towerman had been killed and his body removed. He at once telephoned to the Lackawanna officials, and detectives were sent out on a special train from Jersey City.

The sleuths were completely puzzled until the suggestion was made by a trainman that inquiry be made in Scales' home. One detective went to the house, while several others remained with a score of country folk to search in the brush and woods surrounding the tower, in the belief that Scales' body might be hidden there.

HE DRAGGED HIMSELF TO THE TOP.

Scales was half unconscious in bed when the detective came to the house. He had expended all his strength in his desperate struggle to reach his home and sunk from weakness at the door of his home. Scales told a remarkable story. He said that he was about to go down the stairs from the tower house when his foot slipped and he shot downward. His head struck against the iron steps, and his body struck with crushing force against the iron rail of the stairs. He slipped from the rail at the bottom of the steps to the ground and lay there unable to move for about fifteen minutes.

It was Scales' belief that he had been insensible for about ten minutes. When he realized his predicament he became filled with alarm lest his absence from his post might result in a train wreck. He resolved that he must gain strength to climb back to set the signals against all trains, and step by step he dragged himself to the top. He had been unable to stanch the flow of blood from the cuts on his head, and the wounds bled freely while he wrestled with the levers and finally reversed them all.

A Horse Trader's Nerve.

Mr. P., a member of one of Boston's principal horse dealing firms, was one day trying very hard to sell a horse to the late Governor Wolcott. After assuring him the animal was just what he wanted in every way—sound, without a blemish, not a pimple on him, afraid of nothing, not even steam cars—they proceeded to take a drive to test the animal's qualities.

All went well till they reached Cottage Farm bridge, when a train dashed under, and the horse nearly dashed over with fright.

"I thought," said the governor, "he was not afraid of cars."

"Well, to tell the truth," returned Mr. P., unabashed, "it ain't the cars he minds; it's the engine."—Boston Herald.

The English of India.

Applying for a post in the police of the central provinces of India, a native wrote: "I have a good long equiline nose, piercing eyelashes on a semy-globular face and a good physique. My family has a history that takes my imagination back to three pedigrees, when my grandfather was a millioner. With the vissicitude and times matter change and my father was driven to the necessity to accept a schoolmastership. Ultimately he enjoyed his well earned pension by the time he gave up his ghost. In case my aspirations turn out a reality I shall as a matter of course be bound to prey God for your long life and prosperity."

Algebra.

The science of algebra is said to have been the invention of Mohammed of Buziana about 850 A. D. The science was introduced into Spain by the Moors. The first treatise on the subject in any European language is believed to have been that by Luca Paccoli in 1494. The first English algebra was written by Robert Recorde, teacher of mathematics, at Cambridge, about 1557. He was the first to use the sign of equality.

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